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In re Patent Application of: Takashi Yokoyama et al.

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Art Unit: 1641

For: PROTEIN IMMOBILIZATION METHOD AND

Examiner: L. Y. B. Lum

QUANTIFICATION METHOD

REQUEST AND AMENDMENT TO DELETE INVENTORS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request and amendment in accordance with Rule 1.48(b) to delete the original people who are not inventors of the invention now being claimed.

I. INVENTORS TO BE DELETED

The names of the following people originally named as inventors are not inventors of the invention now being claimed in the subject application:

Naoyuki KOHNO

Hitoshi UEMORI

The invention of originally-named inventors Naoyuki KOHNO and Hitoshi UEMORI is no longer being claimed in the subject application as a result of the Response to Restriction Requirement filed October 16, 2008. It is requested to correct inventorship by deleting the above named inventors from the named inventors of this application.

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II. REQUIRED FEE

The Director is authorized to charge our deposit account No. **04-1105** in the amount of

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required, a fee paid is inadequate or credit is owed for any excess fee paid, you are hereby

authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No.

80441(302767).

III. RELIEF REQUESTED

The Commissioner is respectfully requested to grant this Request and, accordingly, delete

the above-identified originally-named inventors.

If any further information or clarification is required regarding this Request, then the Patent

Office is respectfully requested to call the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 20, 2008

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